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From: Robert Phalen
Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 2:48 PM
To: 'Jennifer Peterson'
Cc: Shari Yeatts
Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Jennifer,

Here is the information I could gather:

The following locations describe the maximum number of chickens at any given time at the Hickman's properties. The number in Column 3 (MAX. HENS PER HOUSE) represents the initial stock of hens prior to any mortality. Obviously that number changes based upon health and productivity levels, but the table should help to answer your question.

Let me know if you need anything else.

-Rp

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<u>LOCATION</u>	<u># OF CAGES</u>	<u>MAX. HENS PER HOUSE</u>
Arlington South		
House 1	15,000	107,463
House 2	15,000	107,463
House 3	15,000	107,463
House 4	15,000	107,463
House 5	15,000	107,463
House 6	15,000	107,463
House 7	15,000	107,463
House 8	15,100	118,997
House 9	15,100	118,997
House 10	15,100	118,997
House 11	21,084	189,756
House 12	21,084	189,756
		Max for farm = 1,488,742
Arlington North		
House 13	21,084	105,420
House 14	21,084	105,420
House15	21,084	189,756
House 16	21,084	189,756
House 17	21,084	189,756
House 18	21,084	189,756

House 19	21,084	189,756
House 20	21,084	189,756
House 21	10,416	166,656
House 22	10,416	166,656
House 23	10,416	166,656
House 24	10,416	166,656
House 25 - top	8,192	98,304
House 25 bottom	2,048	49,152
House 26 - top	8,192	147,456
		Max for farm = 2,386,688
Maricopa		
House 1	27,772	238,561
House 2	27,772	238,561
House 3	27,772	238,561
House 4	27,772	238,561
House 5	14,056	126,504
House 6	12,192	158,496
House 7	12,192	158,496
		Max for farm = 1,554,117
Tonopah		
House 1	12,288	319,488
House 2	12,288	319,488
House 3	12,288	319,488
House 4	12,288	319,488
House 5	12,288	319,488
House 6	12,288	307,200
House 7	12,288	307,200
House 8	12,288	319,488
House 9	12,288	319,488
House 10	12,288	319,488
		Max for farm = 3,170,304

From: Jennifer Peterson [<mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>]

Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 1:50 PM

To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

I will let you know. Do you know offhand how many chickens you have at each facility?

From: Robert Phalen [<mailto:rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>]

Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 8:31 AM

To: Jennifer Peterson <Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>

Cc: Shari Yeatts <syeatts@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Ok.

Thanks.

I always expect another letter.

Thanks.

Do you need anything else in response?

If not – can you tell me if and when the complaint is closed at ADEQ?

Have a good Monday.

-Rp

From: Jennifer Peterson [<mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>]

Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 8:26 AM

To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>

Cc: Shari Yeatts <syeatts@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Robert,

That is the letter I forwarded to you on Friday.

Thanks,

Jennifer

From: Robert Phalen [<mailto:rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>]

Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 8:09 AM

To: Jennifer Peterson <Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>

Cc: Shari Yeatts <syeatts@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Jennifer,

What else do you need in response from me?

Per the complaint.....

A 6 page letter was sent to the ADEQ WQD Director, USDA Regional Director, and Maricopa County Dept of Public Health Director via email and certified mail. Re: "Complaint Against Hickman's Family Farms and Hickman's Egg Ranch, Inc. of Tonopah, Arizona for Violations of Nutrient Management Plan and Conditions of General Permit for Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations."

Complainants are concerned about "suspected Nutrient Management Plan violations" and "violations of the AZPDES CAFO General Permit."

Do you have a copy of that letter as well?

-Rp

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From: Jennifer Peterson [<mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 2:46 PM
To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>
Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Robert,

The official complaint is attached.

Thank you,

Jennifer

From: Robert Phalen [<mailto:rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 9:57 AM
To: Jennifer Peterson <Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>; Emily Bonanni <Bonanni.Emily@azdeq.gov>
Cc: Shari Yeatts <syeatts@hickmanseggs.com>; Billy G. Hickman <bghickman@hickmanseggs.com>; Jim Manos <jmanos@hickmanseggs.com>; Paul Yeatts <pyeatts@hickmanseggs.com>
Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Jennifer,

I have copied our notification (2-12-16) to Emily Bonanni (ADEQ AQD) post incident below.

Once you have an official complaint entered – please forward it to me with any additional information you may need.

If you have any questions, please feel to contact me at any time.

-Rp

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From: Shari Yeatts
Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 11:03 AM
To: Emily Bonanni <Bonanni.Emily@azdeq.gov>
Cc: Jim Manos <jmanos@hickmanseggs.com>; Billy G. Hickman <bghickman@hickmanseggs.com>; Paul Yeatts <pyeatts@hickmanseggs.com>
Subject: Tonopah - 02/08/2016

Hello Emily,

This is in response to the complaints filed to your agency regarding the accidental spill on Indian School on Feb. 8th, 2016 at approximately, 1:05pm. I spoke with Jim Manos this morning after your call. He would like for me to go ahead and send you the timelines and evidence of clean up, see (photos) attached.

1:05pm – Driver notified his supervisor, Supervisor contacted Terry Burt who immediately dispatched to the site with a bucket loader, shovels, and brooms.

1:10- spoke to an environmental consultant regarding next steps

1:15pm- called the street sweeper, they stated they would send an emergency response out to the site by end of day.

1:30- Notified Senior Management Team, Owners and CFO, Jim Manos

1:45pm – See attached

5:10pm – Street sweeper arrived

5:45pm – see attached

Jim and Billy contacted Paul immediately and they ceased the movement until Thomas Road was opened on Wednesday, 2/10/2016. We will use that route for this activity moving forward.

Please let me know if I can further assist, thank you.

Shari Yeatts

Compliance Manager
Cell Phone- 623-692-8451
Thank you.

From: Jennifer Peterson [<mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>]

Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 9:37 AM

To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: Hickmans complaint

Robert,

Attached is the most recent Hickman complaint.

Thank you,

Jennifer

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